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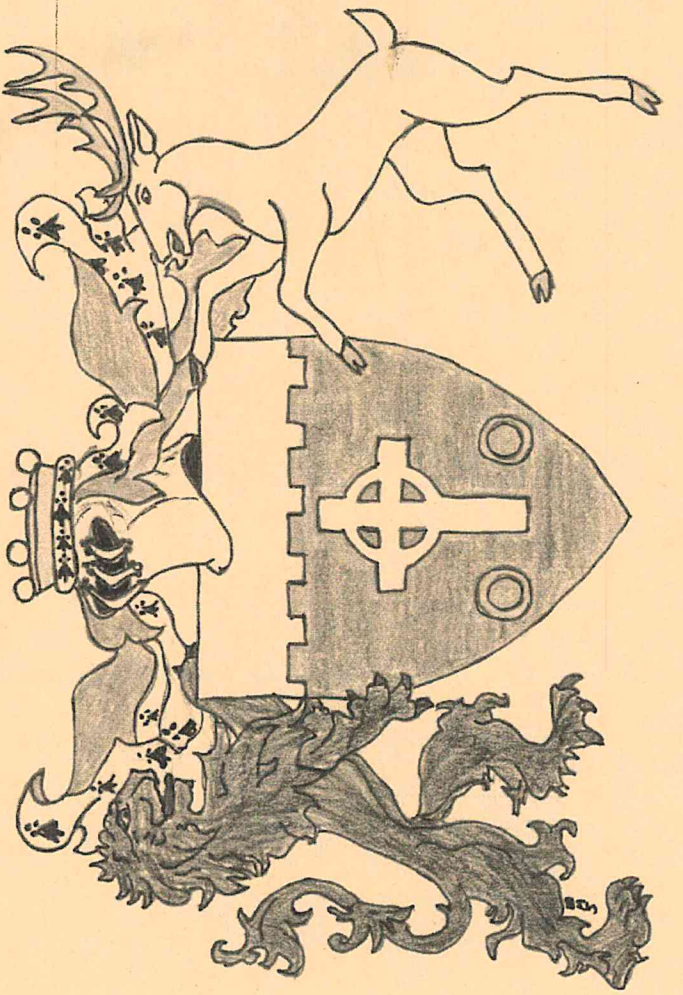

In Memoriam
The Right Honorable Lord Patric of Blakthorn,
*Baron of Caerthe**

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Official Calendar of Events

July 2007				
◈	♣	4-8	Glory X (Unser Hafen) William de Kari 970-482-1586	12
◈	♣	12-15	Lonely Mountain Defender (Drygestan) Maimuna 505-474-5736	13
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O	♣	21	Blackwater A&S (Blackwater Keep) Ylaria 505-763-9503	15
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August 2007				
	♣	4	DBA Wake (Duthaic Bienne Aird) Matill 307-630-5017	
	♣	10-12	St. Sebastians (Hawks Hollow) Cecilia 303-433-0132	19
◈	♣	17-19	Clann War (Nahrun Kabirun) Corbin 505-621-2388	20
	♣	24-27	Here There Be Dragons (Plattefordham) Balthazar 307-797-3988	21
	♣	31-Sep 3	3 Stags Autumn Battle & Faire (Caerthe) Mirianna 303-394-4003	22
◈	♣	31-Sep 3	Warders of the Western Gate (Fontaine) Mariah 505-334-1955	23
September 2007				
◈	♣	8-9	Fall Crown Tournament (Dragonsspine) Cassandra 719-591-0594	24
		7-9	Longs Peak Scottish Irish Festival & Demo (H. Hollow) Cecilia 303-433-0132	
	♣	15	Harvest Festival (Ravenhyrst) Sancha 720-535-5903	25
	♣	22	Pas d' Armes III (Readstan) Matilda 303-263-2179	
	♣	29	Newcomers (Unser Hafen) Ekaterina 970-356-0943	
October 2007				
	♣	20	Danse Macabre (Caer Galen) Padraig 303-522-6104	
	♣	27	Dia de los Muertos (Dragonsspine) Mina 719-314-6384	
	♣	27	St. Golias Feast Day (St. Golias) Treya 505-835-1274	
November 2007				
	♣	10-11	Fall Coronation (TBD)	
	♣	30-Dec 2	Known World Academy of the Rapier (Northshield) www.kwar2007.org	
December 2007				
	♣	1	Hunter's Feast (Windkeep) Rhys 307-632-1133	
	♣	8	Caer Galen Midwinter (Caer Galen) Meenakshi 303-404-3321	
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	♣	1	12th Night (Caerthe) Jorunn 720-670-0702	26

Royal Progress:

⊙ - His Majesty plans to attend . O - Her Majesty plans to attend.

◈ - Their Majesties both plan on attending.

● - His Highness plans to attend. ○ - Her Highness plans to attend.

◘ - Their Highnesses both plan on attending.

The Kingdom Chronicler maintains the "Official Outlands Calendar" of Events.

Official events are marked with a ♣ on the above calendar.

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Greetings Good Outlanders all from
Mordygan your King and Madigan your Queen

Gentles,

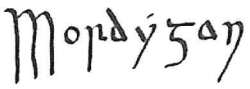
Sad times are upon us as We have lost Our dear friend THL Patric of Blakthorn. His Lordship was a warrior and artist and a servant of the Kingdom of the Outlands and the Barony of Caerthe. He served his Kingdom and Caerthe as a great leader and Baron. As a squire to Sir Maelgwn McCain, he served his knight faithfully and truly. He served his Kingdom as well as Blue Iris Herald, fighter and officer. He soothed our hearts as a singer and story teller. And most importantly he served his Lady as a champion and companion.

Patric did so much and was involved in so many areas of our Society, that many, many people were touched in some way by his work and deeds. We are fortunate to have gentles so fine as Patric helping us to live life in these current middle ages inspiring all of us to be finer in our actions and words.

We give our full support and friendship to the Baroness of Caerthe, The Honorable Lady Mary of Blakthorn, that she may continue to rule the lands of Caerthe and hold them safely for the Crown. Please also lend her your continued kindness and support. Together all can heal and celebrate the life of a good man after mourning his passing.

Our Kingdom's loss is great, but to his friends the loss if even greater.

In appreciation of the many wonderful people in the Kingdom of the Outlands, we continue,



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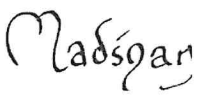

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Kingdom Seneschal

Unto the Populace of the Outlands, Ruling Nobles, and my Liege Lord and Lady, good greetings this day.

Sad tidings have walked our way with the untimely passing of the Baron of Caerthe, The Honorable Lord Patric of Blakthorn. We, as a Society, enjoy celebrating life. Living and breathing the Current Middle Ages whenever we get a chance. I believe the reduction in our joy should give all of us pause for thought.

It is friendships, like with His Excellency, which makes this Society more than a 'game'. We form these bonds rather quickly and they last for so many years. I knew almost nothing of Patric's personal life, what he did for a living, number of children, or what type of car he drove. And yet... he was a dear friend. Only in the SCA is that possible. We shared internal moments of fighting, laughing, and being goofy together. I now treasure the time he and I just spent at Coronation together.

While I'm not much of a 'feeler', I do believe that all of us should pause for reflection. What dear friends do you have in the Society? Have you expressed those feelings? Are you creating new friends on a regular basis or just 'hanging out' with the old ones?

My heartfelt and sincere condolences to Patric's lady wife, The Honorable Lady Mary of Blakthorn, to the Barony of Caerthe, and to the rest of the Kingdom. I pray each day gets a little brighter as we remember his smile and laugh.

Your Servant,
Giovanni

White Stag Principal Herald

Here follows the White Stag letter for the July OH:

The January and February Letters of Acceptance and Return have been issued by Laurel. Results have been posted to the outlands-heralds email list and will be available online at: http://www.sca.org/heraldry/loar/

Of interest in the January LoAR Cover Letter were new standard form letters for a number of actions, such as accepting and transferring names, devices, and badges, and documenting a legal relationship for using the Grandfather Clause. The Grandfather Clause allows a submitter and their immediate legal kin to use an already registered element in their new submissions, even if the element is no longer registrable; however, the relationship does need to be documented.

I learned several new things at the Known World Heralds and Scribes Symposium this year, and I hope the other heralds who joined me there did as well. Next year's KWHSS will be held in London in September of 2008, and I encourage heralds and scribes to start saving up to go.

Serving Crown and heraldry,
Marie de Blois

Earl Marshall

From the Earl Marshal,

Summer appears to be well on its way and the fighting in the Kingdom is excellent to see. There is much to do with all of the events this summer, and even with the high fuel prices, at least try to get out to your neighboring groups. It helps us all improve and keep a constant calibration across the wide spaces.

As many of you know, I'll be stepping down at Stags Con. Sir Dennis has agreed to step up as the next EM. Please give him all of the support you have given me in this office for the last 2 years. It has been fun.

I am completing currently the updates to the Outlands AC handbook to reflect the latest changes to the Society Marshal's handbook. There are not many changes to our Kingdom Rules, but less confusion is always good. Remember that the Society handbook has undergone some changes....make sure you are up to date on the latest armour requirements and authorization is up to date.

In Service,

Mavrikii

Outgoing Minister of Arts & Sciences

Greetings Outlanders,

With great joy, I get to announce that Their Royal Majesties have selected Mistress Tana à l'Esprit Fort as my successor. I would like to thank Their Majesties for their time and consideration in making this decision. I would also like to thank my regional deputies and all local A & S ministers for making my job such an easy one. It has been a pleasure working with you all and know that you will continue to support the Kingdom and Mistress Tana as you have for me in the past.

In Service,

Mistress Marguerite Dinard

Incoming Minister of Arts & Sciences

Greetings,

I want to personally thank Mistress Marguerite Dinard for all of her hard work and dedication she gave to this office and to this Kingdom. I wish her luck in her new endeavors and know that she will be missed.

Thank you to TRM for providing me the opportunity to serve the Kingdom in this office. A&S is one of my first loves in the society and for those of you, who do not know me, I am Mistress Tana a l'Esprit Fort and I hale from the Barony of al-Barran. My contact information has been updated on the web and OH. Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have. I have also been very fortunate to have three wonderful deputies and I thank them for staying on with me. The Northern Deputy is Master Grellan O'Conchobhair, Southern Deputy is THL Maimuna al-Bukhariyya and HSC Deputy is Master Ian of Nightsgate.

With that said, I am going to start the ball rolling. While Kingdom A&S competition is still fresh on our minds, I would like to open discussions around the Kingdom in various venues about KA&S competition. Is it time for a change and if so, what would those changes be? Judging forms? More or less categories? What? Before any changes are made we need feed back from the populace, please provide your comments to your local A&S Officer, Regional A&S Deputies or myself.

TRM have affirmed that there will be a Queens Prize this fall. Further information will be announced at a later date.

Yours in Service,

Mistress Tana a l'Esprit Fort

Minister of Children

Unto the great populace of the Outlands does Lady Jayne Barber, Kingdom Minister of Children send greetings.

Some changes will be occurring regarding youth activities and youth volunteers. At the writing of this article, they are still under discussion Society wide. The latest one involves an expansion of the Youth Policy regarding the two adult rule and parents who abandon their children at events and sanctions for noncompliance. The youth items I reported on in the June 2007 OH also are still under discussion. When the Board of Directors make their decisions I will send this information on to the populace. We will also be discussing these proposed changes on the Outlands Youth Team discussion list. Anyone interested in youth activities, plans and issues can join the Youth Team at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/OutlandsYouthTeam.

In service,

Lady Jayne Barber

Kingdom Scribe

Greeting Outlands,

We are very lucky to have completely hand made award recognitions here in the Outlands. Our scribes donate their time and materials so that each award comes with a unique piece of art. If you have received a scroll please take a moment to thank the scribe who did it.

I would like to thank all the scribes who created scrolls during the Reign of Artan VI and Aziza. Your work was beautiful and very much appreciated. Thanks to- Brighid, Monika, Cerydwyn, Elanor, Jennifer, Medb, Bennet, Asta, Jeanne, Cailte, Aedhagan, Averil, Michael, Ymanya, Rothin, Anora, Elizabeth, Sabine,Sygny, Damia, Bjarki, Kestrel, Ekaterina, Aine, Christian, Deirdru, Joella, Tatiana, Elric, Leona, Rossilin, Cecelia, Athelina, Ismeralda, Mirianna, Julian, Llywus, Sile, Odile, Don Max, Lady Rivka, Christina, Temaqai, Balthazar. My apologies for any misspelling or omissions.

If you are interested in becoming a scribe please contact your local scribal guild, scribal officer or one of my deputies.

Please remember if you are using an alternate or specialty text it must be approved by the Kingdom scribes office.

In service,

Mistress Nadrah

Archer General

Congratulations to The Honorable Lord Angus Montgomery the Forrester (aka Forrester) for winning the Royal Archer tournament at Crossroads. I hope all the archers had fun shooting the new Royal Archer tournament. I would love to hear your comments regarding the shoot. There was a good showing at Crossroads and as I heard it, there was a good showing at Grand Outlandish as well. I would like to thank Lady Lyneya, Master Steitan and The Honorable Lord Ingvarr for all their help in setting up and running the tournament. There will be many more fine events this summer. I hope the events go well and that I see a great many archers out there. If you see me at an event, please come up and say hello.

Baron Daniel Larke del Glen

Marshal of Fence

Unto the Rapier Fighters of the Outlands Greetings,

As we reach the midpoint of the tourney season and fighters are getting comfortable with their current skills and looking to expand their horizons with additional authorizations I felt a reminder of who and where the Authorizing Marshals are would help. This information is also available online on the Outlands website, which is where it is first updated.

al-Barran - Ld Traithgren McCormick and Ld Tomas
Caerthe - Don Oengus MacTaggert and Mistress Rivka Vladimirovna Rivkina
Caer Galen - Master Ian of Nightsgate and Don Madoch Greyson
Citadel/Nahrun Kabirun - Viscount Berold de Gilbert and Baron Giovanni da Lucca
Dragonspine - Ld Friedrich Wilhelmssohn and Ld Charismos of Lacedaemon
Fontaine dans Sable - Baron Duncan Alastair MacRae and THL Angus MacFarlane
Kingdom-wide - Don Ulrich Kreiger(Drygestan), Don Charles Robert Blackstone(al-Barran), Master Massimiliano Pontieri del Sasso(Caer Galen) and Sir Mavrikii(Windkeep)

If you live in a group with an Authorizing Marshal you go to one of your group's Authorizing Marshals to get authorized. If your group does not have an Authorizing Marshal you can either go to the nearest group that does or make arrangements with one of the Kingdom-wide Authorizing Marshals, whose home groups are listed next to their names. If you have any difficulty getting in touch with an AM you can contact me.

Keep in mind when setting up to get authorized that authorization is a priviledge that allows you to fight in tournaments and wars. The process may take several practices. Do not wait until the last minute. And in that vein it is time to start thinking about Estrella War. Authorizations for war will be cut off one month before, so beat the rush and make sure you get your authorizations done in plenty of time.

In Service to the Outlands,
Don Christian St. Claire

Webminister

Greetings, Outlands!

The new style of the Outlands.org web calendar is live, and the responses I received to the changeover have thus far been positive. If you have any questions about it, or suggestions on how to improve things, please let me know – and that goes for anything on the Outlands.org web site!

The webministry has plenty of irons in the fire, and plenty of opportunities for people to volunteer. One way we need help is just the news section of the web site. We're looking for a couple of people willing to write news articles for the front page of the web site...news that affects the Outlands from kingdoms both far and near, but most especially Outlands reports.

Another thing I'm looking for is assistants to glean, gather and coerce information to populate the web site with. I need people to talk to Outlanders and get those really interesting research papers for A&S and the Marshallates, and work on various projects for added content to not only make the Outlands web site the best in the Known World, but the most informative!

To let me know you're interested in either one of these volunteer positions, please let me know by emailing me your SCA name, what you're interested in and why!

If you're more interested in giving technical commentary, or generally being able to apply your technical skills to helping the Outlands, please feel free to join Outlands WebDevs on Yahoo! (http://tech.groups.yahoo.com/group/outlands-webdev). When you join, remember to include your SCA name and primary area of interest in techy things. You don't necessarily have to be a tech to join! I'll take commentary on graphic design and overall look, too!
In service,
Kieran Blake

Glory X: The Seven Paths to Glory
Dates: July 4th - July 8th, 2007
Site opens: Noon, July 4th, closes: 4pm, July 8th
Location: LCCC Vedauwoo Natural History Site, Buford, WY
Sponsoring Group: Barony of Unser Hafen
Autocrat: Lord William de Kari (Steve Benoit) william.dekari@gmail.com (970) 482-1586
www.glorywar.org **Site is wet**
Fees: Adults, 13 and older: $23 pre-registered through ACCEPS - Deadline is June 27th
(Go to: http://acceps.ansteorra.org/index.php)
$25 at the gate, or $10 day trip (1 day, no camping) Youth, 6-12: $7 Pre-registered, $10 at the gate, or $5 day trip
Children, 5 and under: free
Non-member surcharge of $3 applies, no family cap.
Checks payable to "SCA, Inc.- Unser Hafen"

Heed the Call to Glory!

With the High Summer comes the Tenth Anniversary of Glory, and the call goes out to all those who seek glory to gather once again in the mountains of the Outlands. All are called, but only the best will achieve their goal, for a challenge has been issued:

"Walk the Seven Paths to Glory..." There are many valiant and honorable fighters spanning the Kingdoms of the Knowne World, and there are many who take up the rapier, the bow, or the axe and grow in renown among their ranks. Others hone their skills in the arts and sciences, or sing tales and poems to teach and entertain. Still others devote themselves to service. Each achieves personal glory from their accomplishments.

But few indeed are those who draw from themselves the courage to engage in ALL these contests of strength, skill and determination. And so I offer an open challenge to all who would come to Walk the Seven Paths to Glory.

The Path of Strength: Show your strength and tactical skills in armored combat.
The Path of Steel: Test your speed and reflexes in rapier combat.
The Arrow's Path: Demonstrate your sharp eyes and steady arm on the archery range.
The Path of Flying Daggers: Pierce targets with missile weapons.
The Path of Knowledge: Show your skills as an artisan, scholar, or craftsman.
The Path of the Word: Perform a piece in a bardic circle.
The Path of Service: Give of your time and energies to fill a need.
Can any one warrior walk all seven paths, & achieve the ultimate Glory? Only time will tell...

The "Seven Paths to Glory" challenge will consist of six contests (heavy, rapier, archery, thrown weapons, arts & sciences, and bardic), each one open to participants of all skill levels. To answer the challenge, a warrior must participate in each of these events, and perform a volunteer service before the challenge ends, thereby walking all Seven Paths to Glory. The challenge will conclude on the seventh day of the seventh month of the seventh year of the new millennium (Saturday, July 7th).

The White Rose Inn will be offering complimentary breakfasts in the mornings with coffee, and a selection of hot and cold food. The Smiling Bull Tavern will offer an evening meal plan, but seats are limited; check the web site for availability. In the Towne Center, near the Inn, you will also find Merchant's Row, an Arts and Sciences pavilion, and a Children's pavilion.

Our beautiful mountain site is primitive camping, without on-site electricity or water, but drinking water and lemonade are available, by the glass, in the Inn daily. The site is elevation 8,000 feet, so bring sunscreen and remember to stay hydrated. The nearby Buford Trading Post has basic items for sale, and both Cheyenne and Laramie are within 25 miles, each with ample restaurants, shopping, and hotel options.

Directions: Take your best route to I-80 in Wyoming. Take exit #335 (Buford) and turn to the North. Follow the road to the right at the mailboxes and continue on the dirt road for 4.4 miles. The road can be very rough with steep hills, deep washboards and ruts. Please drive slowly and carefully. There will be an SCA sign at the turnoff. Turn into the campground on the left Parking is on a meadow and somewhat limited, so please be polite and careful when parking.

Lonely Mountain Defender

Sponsoring Group: Shire of Drygestan
Date: July 12 – 15, 2007
Location: Graduation Flats, Forest Road 289, Los Alamos, NM 87544
Site Times: Site opens Thursday at 12:00 pm and closes 5:00 pm Sunday
Site Fee: $20.00 for adults (ages 17+) (+$3.00 non-member surcharge, if applicable)
$5.00 for children ages 3 to 16
Please make check payable to : "SCA, Inc. - Shire of Drygestan"
Site is Wet

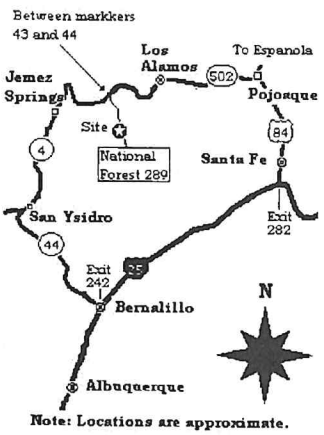
Autocrat: THLady Maimuna al-Bukhariyya, thlmaimuna@gmail.com, 505-474-5736 (2730 Alamosa Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505)
Deputy Autocrat: THLady Renee Nix of Livingstone, rnix@sfcfire.org, 505-913-1760

Greetings, all good Gentles and be of good cheer for the great Lonely Mountain Defender draws nigh! Enjoy days of frivolity, fighting and fun in the lovely high mountain meadow. Lonely Mountain is at an elevation of approximately 9500 feet. Be prepared for hot afternoons, occasional rains, and cold nights. There is no water on site so be sure to bring plenty. The US Forest Service will set fire restrictions, if any, at the time of the event. As in years past, please stay updated on the Forest closures and event news on our website (www.drygestan.outlands.org). Our camping is restricted to the meadow-side of the road (as in years past). There will be no merchanting. As in years past, the back-road is permanently closed.

Directions From al-Barran and Points South: Take your best route to the northern-most Bernalillo exit (NM 550 to Cuba and Farmington) off of the King's Highway (I-25). Take NM 550 to NM 4 (heading to Jemez Springs). Travel on NM 4 (through Jemez Pueblo and Jemez Springs) until you see the turn-off for Forest Road 289 (a right). Follow Forest Road 289 until you see the site (about 4 miles).

Directions from Drygestan and Points North: Take your best route to the middle Santa Fe exit (St. Francis Drive) off of the King's Highway (I-25). Take US 285 (St. Francis Drive) through Santa Fe to NM 502 (in Pojoaque). Just before the climb up the mesa, take the exit for NM 4, through White Rock. Continue on NM 4 until you see a turn-off for Forest Road 289 (a left). Follow Forest Road 289 until you see the site (about 4 miles).

Directions from North Drygestan: If you miss the exit for White Rock (NM 4), no worries. Continue up the mesa on NM 502. Once you get to Los Alamos, NM 502 becomes Trinity Drive. Turn left on Diamond Drive and then turn right on NM 501 (West Jemez Road). Continue on NM 501 until you come to the T-section of NM 501 and NM 4. Turn right on NM 4 and continue on NM 4 until you see a turn-off for Forest Road 289 (a left). Follow Forest Road 289 until you see the site (about 4 miles).



Map, not to scale:

Caer Galen Defender
July 20-22, 2007
Site to open Friday, July 20th at 3:00pm
and to close Sunday, July 22nd at 2:00pm
This event brought to you by the Barony of Caer Galen
Located at the South Platte Valley Historical Society
1875 Factory Dr. Ft Lupton Co. 80621

Autocrat Syr Leifr Vagnsson, syrleifr@comcast.net, 303-746-1520 (no calls after 9:00pm please) (Robert Van Alyne) 910 Meeker St, Longmont, Co. 80501
Coautocrat Lord Iohannes Kynith, 720-810-7486

Fees: Starting on Friday - Adults $18.00, Children $7.00 (Age 5-13, under 5 free)
Starting on Saturday - Adults $14.00, Children $6.00 (Ages 5-13, under 5 free)
Day trippers $9.00
Standard $3.00 additional for adult non members
Checks payable to "SCA Caer Galen"

On the weekend of July 20th-22nd, 2007 a tournament for Caer Galen's Defender will be a proving ground for those heavy fighters who would test their mettle, and rise to the occasion. As well, the occasion permits that the captain of Their Excellences guard would also hold a light tournament in search of a lieutenant worthy enough to stand in their company over the next year. Other than the Heavy Defender Tournament there will be Boat Battles, melees galore, the start of Friday Night Fights, and more heavy fighting than you can shake a stick at. So much fencing that we may have to put out a legal disclaimer. As well as we shall darken the sky with shafts as their will be so many archery shoots.

So prepare yourself for fun, fighting, tons of merriment, and more fun.

Site is discreetly wet.
Depending on burn restrictions fires are allowed in fire pits at least 6 inches above ground.
Pets are welcomed, but must be on a leash, and please please please clean up after them.
Site is next to a river so be prepared for mosquitoes and other insects.

Directions to site: Make your best way to I-25. Go North or South as the case may be to exit 235 Hwy 52. Go East 10 miles to Hwy 85. Go North to Rd 14 1/2. Turn Left, site will be on the right aprox. 3/4 mile. Follow the signs.

"All Hands" Arts & Sciences
Shire of Blackwater Keep
July 21, 2007
Clovis, NM

Site: VFW Post 3015, 2815 W. 7th St., Clovis, NM.88101
Opens: 8:30am **Closes:** 11:00pm
Site Fee: $7.00 (+$3.00 NMF) **Feast Fee:** $8.00 (under 10yr. - $4.00)
Family Cap (site & feast): $40.00 (+$3.00 NMF per person)
Make checks payable to SCA -Shire of Blackwater Keep
Alcohol may be purchased on site only for those of age, no pets allowed in the building.
Autocrat: Lady Ylaria de Montrivil (505-763-9503, Lisa Lee, 825 John Doe St., Clovis, NM. 88101
Directions: West - Hwy 60/84 towards Clovis, at 1st stop light (at airplane display), turn left onto 7th St. The VFW is 1/2 mi. on the right.
North - Hwy 70 (Prince St.) south, turn right on 7th St. The VFW is about 3 mi. on the left.
South - Hwy 70 (becomes Prince St.) go straight until 7th St., turn left, go 3 mi. VFW will be on the left.
East - Hwy 60/84 to Clovis. At intersection of Prince St. and Hwy turn right onto Prince, continue northward to 7th, turn left. The VFW is on the left about 3 mi.

Come one, come all to Blackwater Keep and get your hands dirty! Well, not really. But we do plan on keeping them busy. This year most of our classes will be a "hands on" experience. There will be several classes to choose from including, but not limited to, Bow Making, Embellishing your Garb, How to Judge and do Documentation, Spinning and more. Not to mention the fantastic feast prepared by Lady Elspeth, which will have several courses. There may be small fees for the classes - to help defray the costs of materials. Be kind. There will be a 'sitter' for the children on site, free of charge. A table will be set up for displays and a populace vote held. Come show us what you have.(Because of the documentation class documentation would be nice, but not necessary.)

Baron's War

July 26th-29th, 2007

Hosted by: The Barony of Dragonsspine

Location: Lost Burro Camp Ground, 4023 Teller Rd #1, Cripple Creek, CO 80813, http://www.lostburro.com

Cabin (only) Reservations: http://www.coloradodirectory.com/directory/lostburrocamp/

Autocrat: Lady Kiara Loftus (Therese Hoffheins), therese5142004@yahoo.com. Cell: (719) 494-7756

Co-autocrat: THL Paul of Sutton (Paul Sutton), paulallan@pcisys.net, (303) 596-0785

Registration: Zifirah al-Alyyya' (Sabrina Cole), sabrinacole@att.net, (719)237-3042
1200 Chippewa Trail, Woodland Park, CO 80863
Make checks payable to: "SCA Dragonsspine"

Site Information: Opens 12pm July 26th Closes 12pm July 29th
Site is Wet!
Campfires allowed barring fire bans
Pets allowed on a leash

Fees:	At the Door	Pre Reg
Adult Weekend	$25.00	$20.00
Child Weekend	$12.00	$10.00
Adult Day Trip	$12.00	
Child Day Trip	$7.00	
Reserved Parking	$5.00	$5.00
Non-member Surcharge	$3.00	

Parking: We will have reserved parking for 100 spaces. If you are bringing a trailer and are paying for reserved parking you MUST pay for a space for your trailer as well as you vehicle!

Directions: From North or South. Take 1-25 to Dragonsspine (Colorado Springs, CO) to the Cimmaron exit, Exit 141. Head West on Colorado Highway 24 towards the Mountains. Continue through Woodland Park and through Divide to Florissant (29) miles. Turn Left on CR Teller #1, which is right next to the Thunderbird Inn. Head South for 13.4 miles to Lost Burro Camp Ground.

ARTEMISIA KINGDOM ANNIVERSARY/BARONS WAR II
Sponsored by the Barony of Loch Salann
Thursday, July 26, 2007 – Sunday, July 29, 2007

Please join Their Majesties and Their Highnesses Artemisia and Their Excellencies of Loch Salann as they celebrate ten years of the Kingdom of Artemisia at Barons War II. This auspicious occasion promises a plethora of activities for the delight of all, including youth activities; a variety of archery shoots, melees and tourneys for rapier and armored combat; arts and sciences activities including a competition, cooking contest, Laurel's Display and Classes; a tournament featuring past and present Royalty of Artemisia and more!

The site is Fort Buenaventura, located at 2450 "A" Street in Ogden, Utah. With the exception of the Royal Encampment, all camping space will be provided on a first-come, first served basis, so plan to arrive early. Drinking water and some permanent privies are available on site but there are no showers. Hotels and other amenities are nearby. The site is wet (period containers only, please). Pets are welcome if they are properly leashed and cleaned up after. The site opens on Thursday, July 26th, at 3PM, and closes on Sunday, July 29th at 2PM.

Directions: From the South: Take your best route to I-15 and head to Ogden. Exit at 24th Street, exit # 342. Turn right at the light at the base of the off ramp. The road will curve to the right until you are facing east. Proceed about 0.9 miles. Turn right onto A Avenue. After about a block, turn left. It looks like somebody's driveway, but it isn't. The road will dip down and curve around, you will pass the Miles Goodyear Field on the left, proceed all the way to the parking lot and the pond. There will be signs.
From the North: Take your best route to I-15 and head to Ogden. Exit at 21st Street, exit # 343. Turn left at the bottom of the off ramp, you should be facing east. Proceed about 3.0 miles to Grant Avenue. The road will curve around in an "S" shape. Turn right at Grant Avenue, heading south, and proceed 3 blocks to 24th Street. Turn right onto 24th Street, heading west. Proceed over the bridge over the railroad tracks and almost immediately turn left onto A Avenue. After about a block, turn left. It looks like somebody's driveway, but it isn't. The road will dip down and curve around; you will pass the Miles Goodyear Field on the left. Proceed all the way to the parking lot and the pond. There will be signs.
Construction Warning: The stretch of I-15 through most of Ogden in under construction. Expect lane restrictions and delays, especially around the 24th Street exit

Site Fees: Adults (age 16+) At Gate: $20.00/Preregistered: $19.00
Youth (ages 6-15) At Gate: $10.00/Preregistered $9.00
Family Cap (immediate family members ONLY) At Gate: $60.00/Preregistered $56.00
Day Trip Fee (per day if not camping) Adult: $8.00/Youth $4.00
Non member adults add $3 per person non-member surcharge.
Saturday Feast Fee (PREPAID ONLY) Adult (age 12+):$7.00/ Youth (ages 6-11) $4.00
As always, children 5 and under are free for both site and feast.

Prepaid reservations for feast and to obtain site discount must be received by July 15, 2007. Please make the checks payable to Barony of Loch Salann, SCA, Inc., and mail to HL Bethoc, c/o Becky Leishman, (please contact her at reeve@lochsalann.org for mailing address) Please include a detailed list of modern names, SCA names, current membership number, age if youth, and what you are paying for (i.e. how many site fees or feast fees) with your check. To receive confirmation, include a self addressed stamped envelope or your email address.

Please check the event website http://baronswar.org frequently for updates or contact the autocrats if you have any questions about the planned activities.

Autocrats: Baron Sean and Baroness Nisa baronesslochsalann@hotmail.com
Kingdom Museum Coordinator: Dame Theodora damethea@inbox.com
All other event staff may be reached through one of the above email addresses or through the event website.

The 36th Annual Pennsic War

July 27 - August 12, 2007
Hosted by the Middle Kingdom with the sponsorship of the Kingdom of Aethelmearc & the support of the East Kingdom at

Coopers Lake Campground
205 Currie Road, Slippery Rock, PA 16057

FEE SCHEDULE

Pre-registration for Pennsic 36 IS NOW OPEN
at www.cooperslake.com/prereg36.php **.**

There is a $10 discount for adult pre-registration.

- On-line registration is open until June 15, 2007.
  Mailed-in forms must arrive by May 15, 2007.

Category	July 27 to Aug 2 GATE FEE DUE ON ARRIVAL	Aug 3 to Aug 10 GATE FEE DUE ON ARRIVAL
Nonmember Adult (18 or older)	$155	$135
Member Adult (18 or older)	$130	$110
Minor (6 to 17)	$20	$20
Infant (5 or younger)	$5	$5

Troll opens at noon on July 27th and closes at 11:59 PM on August 10th. You MUST be 18 years or older OR attending with a parent or court-appointed legal guardian to be admitted to this event. You MUST have a photo ID to prove age, AND a valid SCA membership card to receive discount. Cash, credit, or travelers checks ONLY –
NO personal checks will be accepted.

For information on site rules, activities, classes, merchanting, camping and other FAQs, please see the Pennsic 36 website at http://www.pennsicwar.org/penn36 or contact the Pennsic Mayor, Baroness Rosamund Beauvisage (MKA Laura Hume) at mayor36@pennsicwar.org

St. Sebastian's Archery
August 10-12, 2007
Canton of Hawks Hollow

Reports of an abundance of game feeding off the fertile fields and pastures of our kingdom will have our band of intrepid archers returning to the same area we hunted last year.

The shoot-master is contemplating new and entertaining shoots, and of course we will be having the Traditional St Sabs Flaming Arrow Night Shoot. Shooting will begin Saturday morning at 10:00 am. There will be an IKAC on Sunday morning for those wanting scores.

The site is 'unimproved,' which means port-a-johns, and trucked in water for washing etc. You will need to bring your own drinking water. Purveyors of provisions are only a few miles distant, in Kersey, if you forget something.

Important : Each archer must have with them at least 12 arrows for their own use.

When: 3:00pm Friday August 10 thru 1:00 pm Sunday August 12.

Where: The wooded pastures to the north-east of Caerthe (Denver CO)
Take your best route to I-25 and hwy 34, go east on 34; stay on 34 around Greeley, do not take the business 34 exit into Greeley. When you come to the hwy 85 and hwy 34 Junction look for the Fort Morgan Exit and stay on 34 to the town of Kersey; just past Kersey look for the County road 56 sign and turn left onto 56 follow to the dead end and turn left follow the dirt road into the site. There will be SCA signs.

Restrictions: Fire restrictions are unknown at this time. Dogs are welcome, but must be on a leash (with some one or some thing attached to the other end) or in a pen. There is wildlife in the area, deer, coon, coyote, etc. so sensible precautions to safeguard your camp and self are expected of everyone. The river also runs close to the site, and there are old farm buildings on the site, so please be aware of where your children are. There will be a drop-off area for trash. Please have all trash in closed trash bags before leaving it at the drop-off.

Wet Site: Discretion is requested. You will not be allowed to shoot if you have been drinking.

Fees:

	Two nights	One night	Day tripper
Adults	$9.00	$7.00	$5.00
Under 12	$5.00	$5.00	$3.00
Under 3	free	free	

Reservations: In order to help our shoot master plan his shoots reservations are requested and may be made with HL Ailinn Shadowfox, (Karen Swayze), 303-452-0717; 11622 Gilpin St, Northglenn, CO 80233; thlailinn@hotmail.com

PLEASE NOTE: There is a $3 non-member surcharge, if you cannot provide proof of membership (a current blue or white card or publication label from the most current Outlandish Herald) at the gate. Waiver requirements will be enforced.

Autocrat: Lady Cecelia Corr Mhaire, Mary Conley, 303-433-0132, corr.mhaire@juno.com

Clann War
August 17-19, 2007

Time: Noon on Friday to noon on Sunday.

Location: Sam Tobias Campground, Lincoln Forest, Ruidoso, NM 88345. The site is Wet.

Site Fees: Adults: $10 per Member ($3 nonmember fee). Children: Ages 6-12, $5. Children under 6 are free. Family Cap (2 adults + non-adult children): $40 (plus a $3 nonmember fee per adult, as applicable). Merchants are always welcome; please call/email for information.

Autocrat: THL Corbin de Heather, (505) 621-2388, corbincenturion@yahoo.com

Website: http://www.geocities.com/scanahrun/clannwar.htm

As the summer draws to a close, the Shire of Nahrun Kabirun invites all good gentles to join us in merriment and tournament under the tall pines in the high mountain retreat of the southern Outlands.

The morning will open with the heavies taking the list field in a Claymore Tourney--any two-handed sword will do, call it a Claymore and you're in...kilts welcome as well. The rapier fighters will head up into the meadow to defend the flock during the Claymore Tourney. The Shepard will guard the Clann's sheep with rapier, while dagger-armed wolves try to pick unsuspecting sheep out from under their watch.

Afternoon will feature THE CLANN WAR--heavy fighters will be separated into Clanns, and the Clann with the most points worth of sheep in their corral at the end of the battle (1 hour res) will be victorious. Bring your gauntlets as the sheep prefer sitting in their pasture, and you'll need a gauntleted hand to carry them to your Clann's corral. While the Clanns battle in the high meadows, the Guard Azure will duel in the list field to determine who will become their Captain.

Throughout the day there will be archery Royal Rounds and IKACs, as well as our Roving Shoot, Flying Critter Shoot, and Night Shoot. Also, there will be a team shoot this year, period bows against open bows; and combat archery, loner bows are available.

During the day, there will be various A&S classes on offer (see website for details) and build-a-bear and catapult-making contests for the young and young at heart. The evening will feature a potluck feast (please bring an appetizer, side dish or dessert to share), followed by the traditional boisterous reveling.

The site includes RV parking (no hook-ups), water, and limited electricity. Fire restrictions are always determined at the last minute. Restaurants, laundromats, and hotels are less than 5 miles away in Ruidoso. If you plan to stay at a hotel, we suggest you make reservations as soon as possible. The weather is comfortable (70s) during the day and cool at night (40s) with a chance of rain.

Notes: Fire Restrictions: http://www.ruidoso.net/forestconditions/ (for the current fire restriction info)

Directions: From Albuquerque: Take I-25 south to exit 139 (San Antonio). Head east on Highway 380 to Highway 37. Head south until 37 merges with Highway 48 (which becomes Mechem Drive). Turn right at Cedar Creek Rd. Follow signs from there.
From Las Cruces: Take Highway 70 to Ruidoso. Turn left on Sudderth Rd. (Highway 37). Drive through town to Mechem Dr.; make a right. Turn left at Cedar Creek Rd. There will be SCA signs to the right down the road.

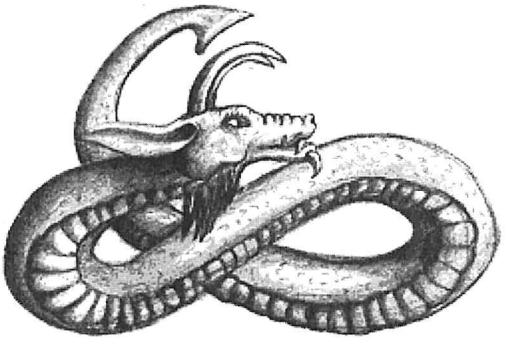
Here There Be Dragons
August 24-26, 2007
Opens at 4:00 p.m. Friday, August 24, closes 4:00 p.m. on August 26, 2007
Sponsoring Group: **Shire of Plattefordham**
South Rec Complex, Glenrock, Wy 82637

Directions to site: from the south, take I-25 to exit 160. Continue west for approximately 4 miles. Turn left (south) on Mormon Canyon Road. Follow this road south until it passes under I-25. Turn right on the first road. Follow this road west into the site (approximately 3/4 of a mile).
From the north take I-25 to exit 165. Turn left (north) at the exit. Continue into Glenrock to the 4 way stop sign (4th & Birch). Turn right (east) and go approximately 1/3 of a mile. Turn right (south) onto Mormon Canyon road. Follow this road south until it passes under I-25. Turn right on the first road. Follow this road west into the site (approximately 3/4 of a mile). Signs will be posted.

Autocrats: Lord Balthazar and Lady Enneleyn von Knopf (Travis and Robyn Blankenbaker) P.O. Box 485, Glenrock Wy, 82637, (307) 797-0709 or (307) 797-3988, enneleyn1525@yahoo.com

Fees: Adult site $10.00
Adult feast $10.00
Child site (under 10) Free
Child feast $5.00
(non-member surcharge of $3.00 to all adult non-members)
Send checks to: Shire of Plattefordham
c/o Robyn Blankenbaker
P.O. Box 485
Glenrock, Wy 82637
Please make checks payable to: SCA, Inc-Shire of Plattefordham
Site is discreetly wet

Once again the Shire of Plattefordham is delighted to host its end-of-summer slash, hack, and bash event Here There Be Dragons!!! The castle onslaught will be bigger and better than ever. The battle at the river ford will the quench the summer heat and the most furious tempers. There will be a torchlight tourney for fighters as well as bards. Various classes will be held for those whose heart lies outside of a list field. Shopping will be available as well. On Saturday evening, the fair Arnora will be providing a delectable feast to satisfy the most bloodthirsty of appetites. Please contact Arnora Hammarskjoldotter (Linda Winslow) (307) 333-1572 for feast reservations and dietary concerns.
For those who are interested in merchanting, please contact the autocrats. We will be extremely pleased to make accommodations for you



Come one, come all, Gather for the opening of the greatest event of the fall days; Three Stags II; Autumn Battle and Faire.

The Barony of Caerthe invites one and all to this exciting event that will transport you to a medieval town fair, and challenge you to battles grand till you can fight no more.
August 31st through September 3rd (Labor Day weekend) 2007
at Casey Jones Park in Elizabeth Colorado/ 4189 Highway 86/ 80107.

Some of the Planned events are:
The Caerthen Warlord Tourneys!!
A large List of Tourneys and Battles
Archery Shoots
Fencing till you drop
Pageantry, Pageantry, Pageantry
Children's Activities

Site Fees:
June 1 thru August 15
Friday-Monday: Adult $20.00, Kid $10.00
Saturday-Monday: Adult $18.00, Kid $10.00
Family cap: $65.00
At the Gate:
Friday-Monday: Adult $30.00, Kid $15.00
Saturday-Monday Adult $25.00, Kid $13.00
Family cap: $75.00
Day Trip: Adult $10.00, Kid $6.00
Kid Fees apply to ages 5 thru 15, children 4 and under are free.
NMS applies to all adult site fee schedules $3.00 per person.
(Family cap is for 2 Adults and their children, no other groups apply.)
Saturday Night Feast: (Tentatively by the Caerthen Cooks Guild)
Adult $10.00, Kid $6.00 Pre-Paid Reservations preferred.
Limited number available at the door.

Please include with your pre-paid reservations, SCA and Modern name and age for each person you are paying for (please also include if you are paying the non-member fee), SCA member number, address and phone number and who you are camping with, and if you are paying for Friday thru Monday or Saturday thru Monday camping.
Make Checks Payable to SCA-Caerthe
Send to: Valerie Oswald, 1645 Valentia Street, Denver, CO 80220

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Warders of the Western Gate
August 31st to Sept 3rd
Location: Elk's Camp Ground(BPOE 1747 Rec Area),
641 De Lasoloos, Navajo Lake, NM
Group: Fontaine dans Sable
Autocrat: THL Angus Reid MacFarlane, 2505 Riverside Dr. Farmington, NM 87401
(505) 320-6544, andersonr@sanjuancollege.edu
Co-Autocrat: Lady Anna MacTaggart, (505) 716-2225, sauceyspider@hotmail.com
Site Opens: Noon Friday
Site Closes: 2:00 PM Monday
Site Fees: $14.00/Adult, $7.00/child (2 adult/2 children family cap)
$3.00 non-member surcharge applies to all non-member adults
Limited number of RV hookups at $15.00/night (mandatory, mundane site charge)
$5.00/tent for the weekend (mandatory, mundane site charge)

For many years now, the Western Border of our magnificent Kingdom, which is watched over by the mighty Barony of Fontaine dans Sable, has been kept safe. This is largely due to the great efforts and strength of the Warders of the Western Gate, the Champions of Their Excellencies of Fontaine dans Sable.

The Warders that even now protect these borders grow weary (though they are far too full of Baronial Pride to ever admit such a thing). They were appointed during the time of Baron Duncan and Baroness Mary and it is now time for their heirs, Their Excellencies Qara-Gan and Ceara McCain to choose new Champions and ensure the safety of the Barony, as well as the Kingdom at large.

In Order to find these new Champions, Their Excellencies have seen fit to hold a series of grand tournaments!!! They are in search for a new Sable Warder (Armored Combat-ant), Azure Warder (Rapier Fighter), Argent Warder (Archer), and of course a new Vert Warder (Arts and Sciences) to remind the other Warders of the beauty that they fight for.

In addition to these fine tournaments, there are many activities for the whole family to enjoy! There will be Children's Activities, a Brewer's Social, a Bardic, a Quest, and more!!! The event will be held at the Elk's campground with a lush, green grass field that overlooks the lake.

So come! And join us once again, in the Oasis that IS Fontaine dans Sable and see if you have what it takes to become one of the next WARDERS OF THE WESTERN GATE!!!!!!!!

DIRECTIONS: From the South (Bloomfield, NM) Take US-64 East from Bloomfield for about 23 miles. Turn left onto NM-539. Drive NM-539 North about 5 miles until you get to CR-363. Turn right on CR-363 about 2 miles to the Elks Club campground on the left. Turn left onto CR-363. Take CR-363 for about 2 miles until you get to the Elks camp-ground (BPOE 1747 Rec Area) on the left.
From the North (Durango, CO) Take CO-172 South toward Ignacio. Go through Igna-cio, and stay on CO-172. At the state line, CO-172 changes to NM-511 . Take NM-511 through Navajo Lake State Park to Navajo Dam. At the fork at the top of the dam, the left road is NM-539. Take NM-539 across the dam and up the hill. Turn left onto CR-363. Take CR-363 for about 2 miles until you get to the Elks campground (BPOE 1747 Rec Area) on the left.

2007 Outlands Fall Crown Tournament
September 7-9, 2007

Holly Cross Abbey
2951 E. Hwy 50
Canon City, CO 81212
Site Opens at 5pm on Friday 7 September
Sponsoring Group – The Barony of Dragonsspine

Autocrat: Cassandra Dubhlachen, mka. Cassandra Porter
706 Bridger Dr. Colorado Springs, CO 80909
719-591-0594, cassebay@msn.com

Fees: Camping for entire weekend $15 per person
Bed in Unheated Room* for entire weekend $25
Bed in Heated Room* for entire weekend $30
Day Trip is $10 per day
These prices include all site fees. Feast is a separate fee.

* Most rooms have 2 single beds. You can either find a room mate, one can be randomly assigned or you can pay for both beds in the room. Please let us know when registering which option best suits you. Showers and Toilets are down the Hall from the bed rooms.

Rooms are assigned at a first come first serve basis. When we run out, there is an option for open bay dorm style rooms. But we won't go there unless needed. So register early for the best choices. Please register with the Autocrat.

There is a Winery on site. Special Event Parties are being scheduled in consideration of this. Please note that there are limited areas where drinking is allowed on this site. Licensing Rules are enforced here. We will post places and times for parties at a later date and on line.

The Site The Holy Cross Abbey was built in the 1920's as a Gothic Style Chapel and Abbey for the use of the local monks. Later it became a boy's school and orphanage. As more youngsters called the Abbey home more buildings were added to the grounds; dormitories, a gymnasium, an eating hall/ cafeteria, sports fields. Plenty of parking was added too. This facility commands a breathtaking view of the local mountains and peaks.

The Library within the Abbey is the old Main Hall and Dinning Room for the monks. Hand made wooden tables are still in use in this room from when the monks first made then almost a century ago. This room is seldom used now and will host our Feast and Courts.

This is a site like no other in the Outlands. We hope that you will make an attempt to see it for yourself.

Name of Event:	Harvest Festival
Date of Event:	September 15, 2007
Time:	1:00 PM to 11:00PM
Sponsoring Group:	Incipient Canton of Ravenhyrst
Location:	Kirk Hall Douglas County Fairgrounds 500 Fairgrounds Dr. Castle Rock, CO
Autocrat:	Lady Sancha Galindo de Toledo (Tatiana Rogozinski) 2324 South Dawson Way, Aurora, CO 80014 (520) 891-8242 mobile, (720) 535-5903 home ladysanchagalindo@yahoo.com
Head Chef:	HE Master Domingo Diego Diaz de la Vega (Charles Barnes)
Feast Reservations:	Contact the autocrat
Fees:	Site Fee: $5 for adults $3 for children between 8-15 Free for 7 and under Feast Fee: $15 for adults $10 for children between 8-15 Free for children 7 and under $2 surcharge at the door Family cap: $50, including feast Immediate family only Checks made payable to "SCA, Inc.-Caerthe"

Please join us in celebrating all the good things that come with the harvest: dancing, merriment, and feasting! There will be games and entertainments during the day, like bottle jousting, a bells and pillows tourney, and a bardic corner. Feast will be served in the early evening and plenty of dancing will follow. The feast will be a 3 course meal served in period fashion with recipes from 14th century Anglo-Norman cookbooks. Due to the service-intensive nature of the feast, there will be a maximum of 72 seats available. The deadline for reservations is September 1, 2007. Your reservations must be paid for by then. A very limited number of seats will be available at the door, so make your reservations early. Bring your feast gear and table decorations, but no candles please. The site is wet. But please, no glass containers outside of the building. There is no smoking within 100 feet of building. But there is a nice stand of trees and benches that will be designated the smoking area. No animals allowed except service animals.

Caerthan 12th Night, "The Lady, the Lion and the Unicorn"
Date: January 5th, 2008, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Barony of Caerthe - Beck Recreation Center, Aurora, CO 80011
Autocrat: THLady Jorunn nic Lochlainn, jorunnniclochlainn@yahoo.com, 720-670-0702 (no calls after 9 p.m.)
Co-Autocrat: Lord Robert Magnus, bobbygm@aol.com, 303-646-5454
Chef: Mistress Catrin von Berlin (GwenCat)

The site is **COMPLETELY DRY**. Please do not even bring alchohol for 12th Night Gifts. There will be two police officers onsite.

Adult Site Fee by November 30th, 2007, $12.00,
Adult site fee Dec 1 to Jan 5 $15.00
Children Site Fee (ages 5 - 12) $7.00
Children Site fee - (ages 5 - 12) Dec 1 to Jan 5, $10.00
Children 4 and under free.

Adult Feast - $10.00
Adult Feast at the door: $12.00
Child Feast (ages 5 - 12) - $7.00
Child (ages 5 - 12) at the door: $9.00

Non-member surcharge of $3 applies to all non-member adults, no family cap.
Payment can be made via Acceps (coming soon).
If by check, make checks payable to "SCA, Inc. - Caerthe"
Where to send your reservation and check if not with Acceps, coming soon.

Theme: 15th Century France - a time of many changes for France and despite wars and plague, there is happiness! The latter part of the 15th century The Lady and the Unicorn tapestries were commissioned by the La Viste family. They depict the 5 senses and Love. This years 12th Night will embody elements that will titillate your 5 senses and let's not forget LOVE. Come and be prepared to See, Hear, Smell, Touch and (let's not forget the feast), Taste. Of course "A mon seul desir" (meaning: "to my only desire"), will play an important part. Mistress Mirianna and Mistress Gabrielle are working on creating the six tapestries, which will hang in the hall. There will still be room for your banners, so please bring them to hang in the hall alongside the tapestries.

The Feast will be at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The tables are ROUND and seat 8. Feast is limited to the first 200 people. There will be off-board seating.

There will be music coordinated by Mistress Caelainn ingen Muiredaig, dancing for those who already know (so get those lessons now and practice!), feasting in the afternoon and much more! There will be a Bardic Tournament run by Mistress Guernen Cimarguid, a Chess tournament run by THLord Forester, and contests galore! There will be a hair-do and hat competition, to name a few. There will be a Scavenger Hunt.

Children will be included in all the activities.

There will be many merchants! The new hall provides a large area for the merchants alone. If you are a merchant and want to merchant at this event and haven't already been contacted by Lady Damia, the merchant coordinator, please contact her at 303-296-7673 (no calls after 9 p.m.).

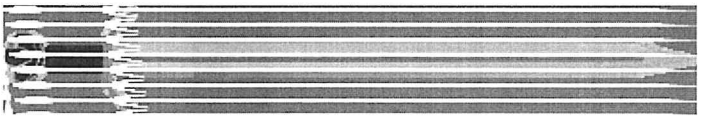
So plan now on attending "The Lady, the Lion and the Unicorn". Future information will have crash space and hotel information. The Outlands war practice is promised to be on Sunday after this event, so make your plans for both.

More information next month.
YIS,
Jorunn

~ In Memoriam ~

The Right Honorable Patric of Blakthorn, Baron of Caerthe

Stag of the Outlands
Companion of the Argent Hart
Defender of the Stag's Blood
Companion of the Aspen of Caerthe
Companion of the Sable Lion of Caerthe
Companion of the Black Glove of Caerthe
Bearer of Queen Eleanor's Cypher
Companion of the Dreamer's Cup
Awarded Arms by King Torn and Queen Elisheva



Note about the cover:
It is the belief of some that those with the rank of Baron or Baroness should be allowed supporters, as was sometimes done in period English heraldry. The Outlands Scribe's Handbook has explicit guidelines as to who is allowed supporters (peers only), and who is allowed to have a white stag as a supporter (Outlands royal peers only). I asked for express permission from Their Royal Majesties to be able to display THL Patric's arms in this manner, with the Outlands' White Stag and Caerthe's Sable Lion as supporters. Their Majesties granted this variance.

~Matilda Seton

Mundane Considerations: Patrick Thornton left a large estate with several pressing needs. If you are in a situation that allows you to donate some of what is extra to you monetarily in order to close out his final dealings, it would be appreciated. Donations may be sent to Mary Thornton at the address listed for her on page three of the OH.

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Do you know any of the nominees on this list?

Would you or someone you know make a good Director?

Tell us about them!

The Board seeks input from the membership concerning any of the individuals on the list below. Your commentary is very much needed and gratefully received. In addition, new nominees are always needed and strongly encouraged. Any member may nominate any member, including themselves, for the Board. If you know someone who you think would make a good Board member, please nominate them. Remember that all information in these letters is kept completely confidential, and no one elected to the Board ever sees commentary about themselves.

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ALL event announcements not containing mandatory elements will be returned to the submitter for correction.

Please do not use any special formatting or fonts when submitting event announcements.

The Chronicler reserves the right to edit for content, length and format.

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* Name of the event
* Date of the event (day, month and Common Era year)
* Times of the event - when the site opens and closes,
* Name of the sponsoring group
* Mundane location of the site (site name, city, state, zip), and WRITTEN directions. Maps are optional.
* Autocrat information: both SCA and legal names, address, telephone number, email address if available.
* A concise schedule of fees, including a statement regarding non-member fees. If there are no fees associated with the event, that must be clearly stated.
* The statement "Checks payable to 'SCA, Inc - GROUP NAME' ".
* Alcohol Status (Wet, dry, discreetly wet, etc.)
* Any additional site restrictions or information.

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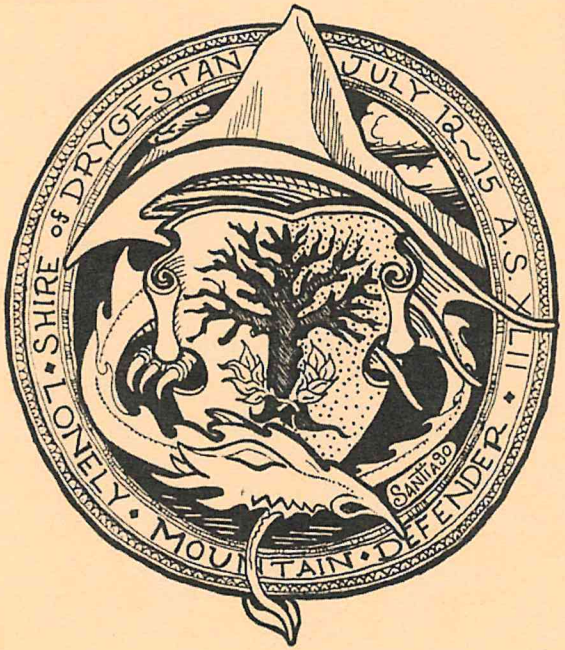

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